

The Appleton Crescent.

"The Union, the Constitution, and the Enforcement of its Laws."

BY RYAN & CO

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Governor's Message.

Gentlemen of the Senate and Assembly:

By the Annual Reports of the Secretary of State, and the State Treasurer, which are printed and in readiness for examination, it will be seen that the finances of the State are in a sound condition. During the past year, all demands against the State have been promptly met on presentation, and at the end of the fiscal year, Sept. 30, 1860, there was a balance on hand of the General Fund, amounting to \$30,045.46.

The balance in the General Fund, Jan. 1, 1860, was \$16,910.47.

The aggregate receipts into the General Fund during the year 1860, were \$416,251.22, consisting of the following items:

State Tax, \$30,593.72

Bank Tax, \$5,498.04

Interest Tax, \$1,000.00

Interest on State Loan, &c., leaving the sum from 1859, \$16,910.47

The aggregate disbursements from the General Fund for the calendar year, were \$350,580.29

Leaving a balance in Treasury, Jan. 1, 1861, of \$55,705.83

Of the expenditures from this fund, the sum of \$169,809.23 was for the State Prison, the various Democratic Institutions, payment of interest on State loan, &c., leaving the sum of \$189,771.06 as properly the cost of carrying on the State Government.

This sum compares with the like item, as ascertained for the previous year, as follows:

Expense of 1859, \$188,628.46

Expense of 1860, \$189,771.06

The careful estimates of the Secretary of State, show the probable resources of the State applicable to the payment of expenses for the fiscal year ending October 1st, 1861, to amount to \$469,331.04

The expenditures for the same period of time, calculated on a sufficiently liberal scale for all the necessities of the State Government, are estimated at \$490,742.40

Estimated balance in the Treasury, at the close of the fiscal year, 1861, \$103,426.54

PUBLIC PRINTING.

The tables annexed to the Report of the Secretary of State, show the equalized valuation of property in the State for the last year, (there being no new valuation of property assessed in 1859,) to be as follows:

Value of Real Estate, \$16,755,773

Value of Personal Property, \$7,755,773

Total, \$24,511,546

The amount of taxes levied upon the property of the people for State expenses, during the last year, was one mill and three-tenths on the dollar of valuation, being tenth of a mill less than the previous year, although owing to the increased return of personal property and new improvements, the sum realized was \$242,031.25, being a slight increase over the previous year.

CENSUS, ETC.

The decennial enumeration of the population and the collection of statistics by the U. S. Government, have been made during the past year, and the State of Wisconsin exhibits a wonderful increase in number, and growth in every material element of prosperity. The following table shows the population of the Territory and the State, at the different periods of enumeration:

1830—Territorial, 11,627

1835 " 18,129

1840 " 37,043

1845 " 44,478

1850 " 157,271

1855 " 219,701

1860 " 322,160

Estimated, (U. S. census), 377,773

The figures show an increase in population of 572,389 in the last ten years, and of 223,562 in the last five years. Wisconsin coming into the Union in 1848, and being the twenty-fourth State in population in 1850, is now the thirteenth, and the advantages which it offers to emigrants from the older States, and from abroad, must, in a very few years place it among the very foremost States of the Union. The important duty of making the appropriations for Congressional and Legislative Districts, will devolve upon you.

SCHOOL FUND.

The School Fund, owing to the forfeiture

of very large quantities of lands (hitherto

sold and estimated as a portion of the pro-

ductive fund, bearing 7 per cent. interest,

exhibits a large diminution in its nominal capital and actual revenue. The extent to

which this diminution has gone, will be

learned by an examination of the Report of the Superintendent of Public Instruction, in which the condition of the fund is treated very fully. The number of acres of School Lands, thus far, forfeited for non-payment of dues, and yet unsold, October 1, 1860, was 252,840, while the proportion of loss to the productive School Fund, by the forfeiture of Swamp Lands, was, to that date, 247,136 acres. With the return of prosperous times, in the course of the succeeding year, these lands will again be sold and added to the productive Fund. The Superin-

dent estimates the productive School Fund, October 1, 1860, at \$2,329,694; and supposing the funds at present belonging to that Fund to be sold at the minimum ap-

praisal, he estimates that the Fund will

reach \$3,284,156 from existing resources;

while there will be added to it, in the future,

the proceeds of sixteenth section lands not

yet marketed, one-fourth of the proceeds of

the sale of Swamp Lands not yet offered,

beyond the avails of lands claimed from the

General Government, and the long-withheld

5 per cent. fund, which must eventually

come to the State.

The Report of the Commissioners of

School and University Lands will be laid before you, containing information and sug-

gestions, in relation to the business entrusted to their charge. Your careful attention to

the subject is imperatively needed, in order

that, by judicious legislation, proper safe-

guards may be placed around these impor-

tant funds, which have been much dimin-

ished by careless investment in past years.

STATE UNIVERSITY.

The University Fund, on the 1st Octo-

ber, 1860, was \$226,755.92

On which the annual interest at 7 per

cent, is \$16,000

Add balance in Treasury, \$13,33

Gives income for the University for the

year, \$20,333.41

This fund shows a decrease of some \$14,-

000 from last year, owing to the same

causes which produced the diminution of the

productive School Fund.

The report of the Board of Regents of

Normal Schools will be laid before you.

The fund at their disposal, arising entirely

from the sale of Swamp Lands, has been

very much abridged by the decrease in the

amount of lands sold from year to year,

while the amount appropriated directly to

the institutions in which normal classes

have been taught, has been lessened by the

payment of agencies employed by the Board

in carrying forward the work of education;

so that the sum distributed the last year

was only \$4,640, or twenty dollars to each

pupil taught. A more strict examination,

however, has so lessened the number of ben-

eficiaries of the fund, that this sum exceeds

the average amount distributed the previous

year, by two dollars to each pupil.

BANKS AND BANKING.

The Annual Report of the Bank Com-

troller for the fiscal year ending October 1st

1860, is printed and ready for your inspec-

tion. In addition, that officer has furnished

me with the figures embraced in the follow-

ing statement, bringing the principal items

down to January 1, 1861, and a comparative

statement with the condition of the Depart-

ment one year ago:

Number of banks Jan. 1, 1860, one hun-

dred and eight, with an aggregate capital

of \$1,750,000

Number of banks organized in 1860, with

an aggregate capital of \$35,000

Twelve banks have increased the capital

by \$60,000

Total capital Jan. 1, 1861, and increase

of banks have reduced the capital

of \$35,000

Twenty-five banks have reduced the capital

by \$75,000

Total number of banks in operation Jan.

1, 1860, one hundred and ten, with capi-

tal amounting to \$1,727,000

Decrease of banking capital for past year, \$25,000

Whole number of counter-signed notes is

one thousand and outstanding, daily 1

at 100, \$4,820,522

Name of bank doing busi-

ness, \$4,637,682

Banks winding up, 43,149

Total outstanding circulation, \$4,589,002

These notes are secured by the deposit of

capital and public stocks as follows:

Kentucky, \$22,000

Louisiana, 10,000

Maine, 165,500

Michigan, 1,000,000

Indiana, 8,000

North Carolina, 175,000

Ohio, 173,000

Tennessee, 500,000

Virginia, 462,000

Georgia, 44,000

Georgia, 29,000

Mississippi, 18,000

Indian, 2,700

Wisconsin, 100,000

Minnesota, 75,000

Rutland & W. R. Bonds, 22,000

Mil. & Waterford, 60,000

Specie of organized banks, \$5,120,000

Specie of banks winding up, 43,152,00

\$8,725,50

Total securities on deposit, \$5,205,503.00

The amount of bank tax due for the past year was, \$10,807.80

The amount of securities over circula-

tion, Jan. 1, 1860, was, 155,445.10

Amount of margin Jan. 1, 1861, \$27,973.10

Excess of margin Jan. 1, 1861, \$30,328.00

Your attention is invited to various sug-

Our Woodland Home.

City of Appleton, Outagamie County, Wis.

From Cuba.—We shall publish a letter in our next issue, from the above locality.

The length of the Message crowds out most other reading matter.

The communications in to day's issue will be read by all. They are both local in their bearings and will interest every resident of the County.

Thanks to E. Decker of the Senate, for numerous Legislative favors. Mr. D. is one of our most active members, and labors efficiently for his constituents.

Accident.—The stage-going north today, tipped over coming down the hill on the other side of the river. Bishop KEMPES' arm was dislocated and our townsmen had to be expressive mourning as the result of the accident.

Temperance Lecture.—Hon. S. R. CORCORAN, Judge of this District, will deliver a lecture in this city at the College Chapel, on TUESDAY evening next, at seven o'clock. Let there be a general attendance.

Interested ones will find on our fourth page a Notice of Restoration to market, of Fox & Wis Improvement Lands, in the Menasha, St. Croix, Eau Claire, Stevens Point, and La Crosse Land Offices. The lands in the Menasha District will be subject to entry on and after Monday, the 21st inst.

A good specimen of a large growth of eggs may be seen at our office. It was left here by Mr. GEO. LONGSTAFF. The egg was laid by a cochin china pullet of last year's growth, and measures nearly seven inches in circumference the long way of it. It is the largest chicken's egg we have seen by odds. Mr. L. says that this is the third one of the same size, he has had from the same fowl.

The snow storm of Wednesday night last was the most severe we have experienced for many years. The wind howled its requiem notes through the trees and fairly shook buildings, piling the snow up in banks, and completely blocking roads. The snow fell to the depth of about a foot. The snow plow was brought into requisition, and did good service clearing side walks.

Ourselves and You—A word in your ear. You will bear us out in saying that we have not troubled our readers with dulls through our columns very frequently during the past year. It is utterly unpleasant for us to do so at all, but the fact is that a very large amount due us for subscription and job work remains on our books, yet unpaid. The difficulty is that these am'ts are small individually and scattered in various portions of the county. Now these small sums in the aggregate would foot up a large amount, and we need it. We have given time enough to every one and now we want our pay. We find it impossible to pay our debts with promises, as many owing us seem to be inclined to do with us. We will take grain, or County and City orders, and even cash, but one pay we must have. Please consider this means you, if you owe us.

Last Wednesday evening we took a peep into the Council Chamber, and there found the "City Fathers" deliberating in all their majesty. They were having a settlement with the City Treasurer, and were canceling orders. Mayor B. occupied a position near the end of the table, around the Council were seated. On the right comes J. S. B., City Clerk, a broad smile over and anon lighting up his benign countenance. Next to the city clerk is Ald. M., looking conscientious scruples all over. On the left of the Mayor we find Ald. J., a man ready for fun and eager for business. Then comes the heavy man of the Council, Ald. one who does more than the balance of the Council combined. The two J.'s will do for members of any Council. The Mayor's, and bogus Ald. K., is seated near the stove, which gives one to understand that the balance of the Council can't him in building fires to a better advantage than attending to the business There's our view of the duds of Appleton.

The question before this body, when we left, was, "Will the City Treasurer pay the oysters?"

Proceedings of the Common Council

COUNCIL CHAMBER.

Saturday, Dec. 16, 60—7 P.M.

Council met pursuant to the following call:

To the Aldermen of the several Wards of the city of Appleton. You are hereby notified, that there will be a meeting of the Common Council of the city of Appleton, at the Council Chamber, Saturday, Dec. 15, 1860, at 7 P.M.

ROBERT R. BATEMAN, Mayor.

State of Wisconsin, I, Robert R. Bateman, Outagamie Co. SS, man, Mayor of the city of Appleton, in said county, do hereby certify that the above notice has been personally served upon each of the following named persons, Aldermen of said city, to wit: F. J. JACKSON, S. P. MING, John JEWETT, Jr., L. STEPHEN and R. KITTRIDGE Appleton, Dec. 13, 1860.

ROBERT R. BATEMAN, Mayor.

Present his Hon. the Mayor, Alds. Jackson and Ming, not being a quorum, Council adjourned. J. S. BUCK, City Clerk.

COUNCIL CHAMBER,

Thursday, Dec. 27, 60—7 P.M.

Council met pursuant to the following call:

To the Aldermen of the several wards of said city of Appleton. You are hereby notified that there will be a meeting of the Common Council of the city of Appleton, at the Council Chamber, Thursday, Dec. 27, 1860, at 7 P.M.

ROBERT R. BATEMAN, Mayor.

State of Wisconsin, I, Robert R. Bateman, Outagamie Co. SS, man, Mayor of the city of Appleton, in said county, do hereby certify that above notice has been personally served upon each of the following named persons, Aldermen of said city, to wit: J. JACKSON, Ming, J. EWETT, Elliott, Steff.

sen. and Kittridge, Appleton, Dec. 27, 1860.

ROBERT R. BATEMAN, Mayor.

Present his Hon. Mayor Bateman, Alds.

Jackson, Ming, Jewett, Elliott, Steff and Kittridge.

Ald. Jewett entered his protest against Mr. Kittridge being allowed to take a seat in the Council, not having been legally elected.

A motion to adjourn was put and lost, by the casting vote of the mayor.

A motion to adjourn until Saturday, was put and lost by the casting vote of the mayor.

A motion to adjourn for one hour was put, and lost by the casting vote of the mayor.

Whereupon Alds. Jewett, Elliott and Steff withdrew from the Council.

Not being a quorum, on motion Council adjourned until Saturday, 29th Dec., 1860, at 7 P.M. J. S. BUCK, City Clerk.

COUNCIL CHAMBER:

Saturday, Dec. 29, 1860—7 P.M.

Council met pursuant to adjournment.

Present his Hon. Mayor Bateman, Ald. Jackson and Kittridge.

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Miscellaneous.

THE AMALGAMATION OF LANGUAGES.—There is a growing tendency in this age to appropriate words from other languages, and to incorporate them into our own; thus the word Cephalic, which is from the Greek, signifying "for the head," is now becoming popular among us, and will be used more and more. It will be used in a more general way, and the word Cephalic will become as common as Heterotaxy and many others whose distinction as foreign words has been worn away by common usage, until they seem "native" to the manor born.

'ardly Realized.

"I had a terrible headache this afternoon, Sam," I stepped into the parlor and said to him. "Can you bear me an 'adache'?" "Does it hurt 'ard?" says he. "Extremely," says I. "Well, that's gave me a Cephalic Pill, hand 'em over, and it cured me so quick that I hardly realized I had an 'adache'."

JO His accent is the favorite sign by which native makes known any deviation whatever from the natural state of the brain, and in this light it may be looked upon as a safeguard against the natural disease, which may easily escape attention, till too late to be remedied; and its indications should never be neglected.

Headaches may be classified under two names, viz.: Symptomatic and Idiopathic. The former are those which are the result of some disease or disorder, and the presence of a great variety of diseases among which are Apoplexy, Gout, Rheumatism and all febrile diseases. In its nervous form it is called Neuralgia, and in its muscular form, Spasmodic headache, of hepatic disease, constituting bilious headache, of worms, constipation and other disorders of the bowels, as well as renal and uterine affections. Diseases of the heart are very frequently attended with headache, and there are also affections which frequently occasion headache. Idiopathic headache is also very common, being usually distinguished by the name of nervous headache, and is coming on suddenly in a state of apparently sound health, and in other instances it comes on slowly, however by depression of the mind and debility of temper. In most instances the pain is in the front of the head, between the eyes, and sometimes provoking vomiting; under this name may also be named Neuralgia.

It is a common effect of headaches that Cephalic Pills have been known to give a remedy, relieving the most acute pains in a few minutes, and by its subtle power eradication of the disease, of which headache is the unerring index.

BEST—Missus wants you to send her a box of Cephalic Pills, no, a bottle of Prepared Pills—but the thing that's not just it either, but perhaps the best thing of all is that she's right.

DRUGGISTS.—You must mean Spalding's Cephalic Pills.

BEST—Och, sure now you're right, he's the quarker and give me the pills and don't be all day about it either.

Constipation or Costiveness.

No one of the "many ill's flesh is heir to" is so prevalent, so little understood, and so much neglected, as constipation, resulting in carelessness or sedentary habits, it is rampant in every country, and especially in the United States, and is continually grave. Among the lighter evils of which costiveness is the usual attendant, are Headache, Gas, Colic, Foul Breath, Fives and others of like nature, while the more serious disorders such as Malaria, Fever, Abscess, Disease, Diphtheria, Dyspepsia, Apoplexy, Epilepsy, Paroxysms, Hysteria, Hypochondriasis, Melancholy and Insanity, are often the painful presence in the system by this dangerous symptom. Now, the original cause of the named disorder is Constitution, but take an independent existence unless the cause is eradicated, in which case the disease abates; receive immediate attention whenever it occurs, and do not neglect to get a box of Cephalic Pills on the first appearance of the complaint, as their timely use will expel the insidious approach of disease and destroy this dangerous foe to human life.

A Real Blessing.

Physician.—Well, Mrs. Jones, how is that headache? **Daughter.**—I Doctor, all gone! the pills you sent me cured it in just a week, and I wish you would send more so that I can have them again. **Physician.**—You can get them at any Druggist. **Daughter.**—I got for Cephalic Pills, and they never fail, and I recommend them to all cases of headache.

Mrs. Jones.—I think some of a box directly, and shall tell all my suffering friends, for they are a real blessing.

IT'S Over Encouraged, and the medical care and anxiety induced to close attention to business of study, are among the numerous causes of Nervous Headache. The disordered state of mind and body, and the corresponding complaint is a fatal blow to all energy and mental activity, but this disorder can always obtain speedy relief from the distressing attacks by using one of the Cephalic Pills when the symptoms appear. It quietes the over-taxed brain, relaxes strained and jarred nerves, and relieves the tension of the stomach which always accompanies and aggravates the disordered condition of the brain.

FACT WORTH KNOWING.—Spalding's Cephalic Pills are a certain cure for Headache, bilious headache, nervous headache, costiveness and general debility.

GREAT DISCOVERY.—Among the most important of all the great medical discoveries of this age may be considered the use of vaccination for protection from Smallpox, the Cephalic Pill for the relief of Headache, and the use of Quinine in the prevention of Fevers, either of which is a sure, safe, and lasting protection after their discovery are forgotten.

Do you ever have the sick headache? Do you remember the shriveling temples, the fervent brow, the lassitude and disgust as the sick fit follows totally until you are for pleasure, compensation or exercise. One of the Cephalic Pills will have relieved you of your suffering which you then experienced. For this and other purposes you should always have a box of them on hand to use as occasion requires.

EMPLOYMENT.—The SUBSCRIBERS

Miscellaneous.

Chicago and North-Western Railway.—**FOR CHICAGO DIRECT,** CONNECTING WITH ALL EASTERN ROADS!

TRAIN LEAVE OPHIRSK DAILY.

Through to Chicago Without Change of Cars!

Day Express leave Ophirsk	9:45 A. M.
Arrive at Milwaukee Junction at 12:15 P. M.	
Arrive at Winona	1:00 P. M.
Arrive at Port Atkinson	1:55 P. M.
Arrive at Milton Junction	2:30 P. M.

Connects with trains of Mil. & Minn. RR for Winona, Dubuque, and Prairie City.

Connects with trains on Racine & Milwaukee RR for Beloit, Galena, DePere, Howard Junction, Rockford.

Arrives at Chicago

6:45 P. M.

Passenger cars for point last, by this direct line, are comfortable, cheap and dangers of Lake navigation, and the fair is always

AS LOW AS BY ANY OTHER ROUTE.

Through Ticket to all Eastern southern and Western Cities can be purchased at the Ticket Office of the Chicago and North-Western.

Express Freight trains leave daily.

E. W. WITZ, Receiver, T. S. Strong, Ass't Sup't.

Geo. L. DUNLAP, Sup't, Chicago.

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Forwarding House:

STEUBENS & BUCK,

Appleton, Wisconsin.

With largely increased accommodations for strangers the old stand, we shall be found during the winter months in the most eligible houses to transact promptly all business in our line, and trust to us.

We are bound to merit the confidence and favor of an appreciative business community.

With many claims to old customers, we respectfully entreat your patronage.

To the public generally we would say, Give us a trial.

On hand and for sale, STEUBENS, WATER LIME, SALT, FISH, CO., etc.

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FIRE AND INLAND INSURANCE AGENCY—ETNA.

Capital paid up... \$1,000,000

Actual surplus... 694,100 02

Assets... 2,104,400

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METROPOLITAN:

Cash Capital... \$300,000

Actual Surplus... 28,860

Assets... 382,500

SECURITY MARINE:

The only strictly inland Insurance Company in the City. Regular Fire rates charged and twenty per cent of premium refunded the assured in case there is loss in the cargo.

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INLAND RISKS:

Taken in the E. N. A. and a handsome percentage of the premium returned to the assured on the safe arrival of the cargo insured.

DRUGGISTS.—Companies safe and solid beyond a peradventure.

CRESCENT BLOCK, AUG. LEDYARD SMITH, Agent.

1860.

TO Persons out of Employment AGENTS WANTED,

IN EVERY COUNTY IN THE UNITED STATES.

ENGAGED in the sale of some of the best and most elegantly illustrated Works published.

Our Agents are of most interesting character, adapted to the wants of the public, and bound in the most substantial manner, and are in the highest place in every Household.

TO men of enterprise and industrious habits, this business offers an opportunity for profitable employment seldom to be met with.

Agents will be engaged as agents will receive a competency by mail, and for a small sum, by advertising.

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These Works are the most valuable books published, and Agents are employeed making from \$50 to \$100 per month.

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In a new and beautiful style of binding, gilded up expressly for Agents and Canvassers.

1860.

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The Best and Cheapest Work of the Kind in the World!

Twelve full-sized pages of Vocal and Piano Parts MUSIC FOR FIFTEEN CENT.

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